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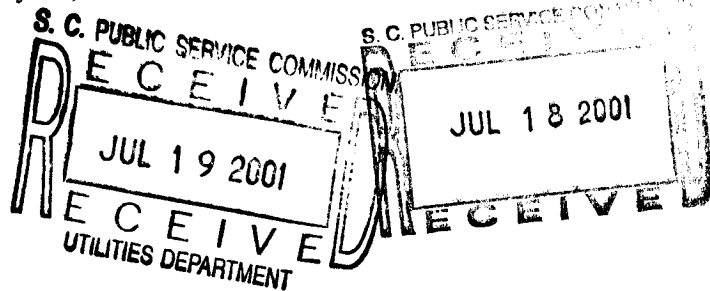
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Re: Application of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to Provide In-Region InterLATA
Services Pursuant to Section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996
Docket No. 2001-209-C
Our File No.: 255.169

Dear Mr. Walsh:

7/15/01
FPM

Attached for filing with the Commission are an original and seven (7) copies of a Motion to be Relieved as Counsel for AT&T Communications of The Southern States, Inc. in the above-referenced matter. AT&T will be represented in these proceedings by L. Hunter Limbaugh, a member of the South Carolina Bar. All parties of record are being served as indicated in the attached Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to call.

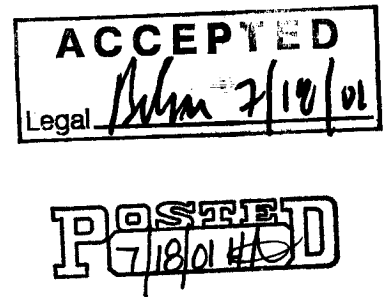
Best regards,

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cc: All parties of record

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA



In Re: Application of BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc. to Provide In-
Region InterLATA Services Pursuant to
Section 271 of the Telecommunications
Act of 1996

Docket No.: 2001-209-C

**MOTION TO BE RELIEVED AS COUNSEL FOR
AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF THE SOUTHERN STATES, INC.**

Francis P. Mood, on behalf of himself and Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A., by and with the consent of AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. (AT&T) hereby moves the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (Commission) for an Order relieving Francis P. Mood and Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A. as counsel of record for AT&T in this proceeding.

This motion is based upon the fact that the representation of AT&T by Francis P. Mood and Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd is not required.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned on behalf of himself and the firm of Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd prays that the Commission remove him and the firm as counsel of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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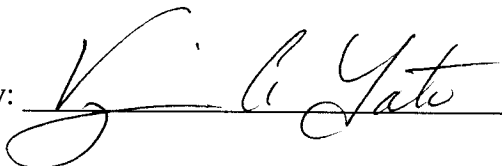
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This 18th day of July, 2001.

SERVICE: OK

WE CONSENT.

AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF THE
SOUTHERN STATES, INC.

By: _____

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned attorney of Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, P.A., hereby certifies that he has served the following parties with a copy of **Motion to be Relieved as Counsel for AT&T of the Southern States, Inc.**, in Docket No. 2001-209-C by causing a copy of same to be mailed in the United States Postal Service, first-class postage prepaid, addressed to the persons and attorneys listed below on **JULY 18, 2001**.

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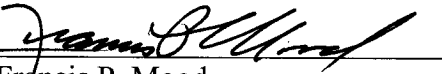
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